



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: JEFFREY SCOTT ET AL.

Filed: JUNE 23, 2003

For: ISOLATION SYSTEM WITH DIGITAL COMMUNICATION ACROSS  
A CAPACITIVE BARRIER

Serial No.: 10/601,411

Group Art Unit: 2611

Examiner: JOSEPH, J.

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Dear Sir:

**COMMENTS ON THE STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

As noted in MPEP 1302.14:

The statement [of reasons for allowance] is not intended to necessarily state all the reasons for allowance or all the details why claims are allowed and should not be written to specifically or impliedly state that all the reasons for allowance are set forth.

As such, the Applicants understand that the allowed claims are allowable based on the claim language for each claim and that the reasons for allowance are not intended to fully express all the reasons for allowance.

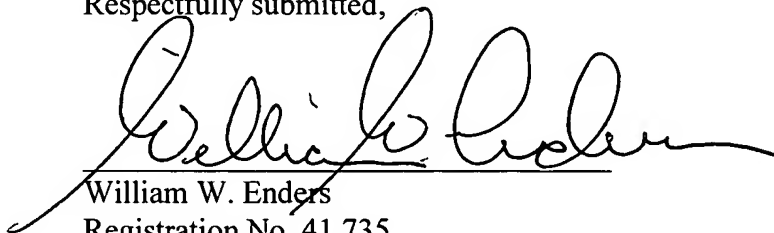
In this regard, Applicants note that contrary to the statement on the top of page 3 of the Reasons for Allowance, independent claims 45, 52, 56, 69, 79 and 86 do not recite the claim language given on page 2 of the Reasons for Allowance.

Thus, Applicants respectfully submit that the statement for reasons of allowance are not necessarily comprehensive for any individual claim and are not necessarily the sole reasons applicable to all of the claims.

If the Office disagrees with these comments, the Office is requested to respond.

Should any fees under 37 CFR 1.16-1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct such fees from Deposit Account No. 10-1205. The examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the phone number indicated below with any questions or comments, or to otherwise facilitate expeditious and compact prosecution of the application.

Respectfully submitted,



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